

## HEALTH EXHIBIT FROM RICHMOND

Dr. Levy Showed Visitors How We Have Cut Down Death Rate From Typhoid.

### OPENED EYES OF COUNCIL

Out of Every Dollar Expended by City, Health Department Got Only 1.3 Cents.

The exhibit made by the Richmond Health Department at the State Fair last week was the subject of favorable comment on all hands. Though not possible to represent all the fields of activity in which the Health Department is engaged, still the selection of subjects and the manner of their representation were such as to be a revelation to the average visitor. Photographs, diagrams and specimens of various kinds were shown in such a way as to impress the observer with the importance of the work, and with the successful manner in which it is being prosecuted.

A special edition of two pamphlets were distributed, one of these being "The Richmond Health Department as a Municipal Investment," and the other being a "Summary of the Work of the Richmond Health Department." In the first of these, it was shown that during the year 1910 the work of the Richmond Health Department in connection with typhoid fever alone saved the city \$585,200, while its total expenditure for all purposes during the same year was \$37,535, or less than one-tenth of the amount saved in connection with one disease.

In the second of the above mentioned pamphlets the work of the Richmond Health Department is briefly summarized under fifteen headings: Vital Statistics, Contagious Diseases, Antitoxin, Smallpox, Tuberculosis, Quarantine, Bacteriological Laboratory, Infant Mortality, Food Inspection, Dairy Inspection, Plumbing Inspection, Sanitary Inspection, Mosquito Work, Flies, and Popular Education.

### Typhoid Death Rate.

Two of the most striking diagrams in the exhibit illustrated the phenomenal decrease in the death rate from typhoid fever under the present organization of the Richmond Health Department. The first of these diagrams shows that for the past two years the death rate from typhoid fever has been less than one-half of the lowest rate in any previous year, and only a little over one-fourth of the average rate for all previous years. The second diagram shows that in the year 1884 one death in every fifty-three in the city of Richmond was due to typhoid fever; that in the twenty-six years preceding the reorganization of the Health Department (1858-1865, inclusive) one death in every 22 was due to typhoid fever, and that for the last ten years (1899 and 1910) only one death in every 125 was due to this disease.

Similar diagrams show the remarkable reduction in the death rate of scarlet fever and diphtheria. The work of the bacteriological laboratory in connection with the diagnosis of diphtheria, typhoid fever, scarlet fever and tuberculosis. The outputs which are used are shown, the method of examination is fully described, and the microscopic appearance of positive and negative specimens is graphically illustrated.

**Economically Operated.** The immense improvement in the public milk supply is illustrated by photographs of conditions found when started four years ago, and others showing conditions at the present time. A full set of blue prints is exhibited, such as are furnished all milk producers who wish to have model dairy plants. Another feature which has attracted much attention is the exhibit of the actual breeding of flies and mosquitoes.

In this connection, one feature of the exhibit is most impressive. After seeing the evidence of the excellent work which the Richmond Health Department is doing, it comes as a great surprise to learn that all this is being done at such an insignificant cost to the city. Figures are given showing that the Richmond Health Department has expended on an average for the past five years only 26.5 cents per capita out of a total of \$26.53 spent by the city for all purposes. Close by this statement is a diagram in the shape of a circle, representing a silver dollar. A very minute wedge-shaped portion of this circle represents the amount appropriated to the Health Department. Under this is the statement that out of every dollar spent by the city of Richmond the Health Department gets 1.3 cents.

### MEDITERRANEAN AND EGYPT TRIP DE LUXE.

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Richmond Transfer Company, 809 East Main Street.

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Would your roof prove fireproof or a quick burner?  
Use G. M. Co.'s "Pearl" Roofing Tin and be safe.

**Gordon Metal Co.**  
Richmond, Va.

## DELEGATES REACH TOWN TO-MORROW

Come From All Atlantic Seaboard States to Attend Waterways Convention.

### MAYOR GAYNOR WILL SPEAK

Many Distinguished Men to Discuss Intra-Coastal System. Moore to Preside.

Every State on the Atlantic seaboard will be represented at the fourth annual convention of the Atlantic Deepwaterways Association when it is formally called to order by its president, J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, at the Jefferson Hotel on Wednesday. The opening of the convention will be preceded by an informal reception to the delegates by the Chamber of Commerce to-morrow evening.

During the business sessions of the convention Wednesday and Thursday consideration will be given to the progress made since the last year, and plans will be laid for furthering the links of intra-coastal waterways stretching along the Atlantic coast from Maine to Florida.

Governor Mann will make an address of welcome at the opening session, which will be responded to by Colonel Pleasant A. Stovall, editor of the Savannah, Ga., Press, following which President Moore will make his annual address. The first afternoon session will be devoted to addresses by Mayors Gaynor, New York City; Reubyn, Philadelphia; Donnelly, of Trenton; Preston, of Baltimore; Fitzgerald, of Boston, and Dock Commissioner Tomkins, of New York City.

### Many Experts to Speak.

Thursday's sessions will be given over to addresses by experts on the various international and waterway projects, and these will be followed by the election of officers. The evening sessions will be given over to entertainment.

Friday a trip down the James River to Hampton Roads will be made. The tentative list of speakers are: Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, Governors Tener, of Pennsylvania; Crothers, of Maryland; Pothier, of Rhode Island; Mead, of Vermont, and Glascock, of West Virginia. A number of Senators and Representatives also will speak, besides numerous other prominent men.

While the formal opening of the meeting will not take place until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, the great body of delegates will arrive in the city to-morrow evening from Old Point. They will gather there principally from the Southern and Northern States, and will be entertained by the government at Fortress Monroe with appropriate naval and military demonstrations. A committee from the Chamber of Commerce will leave to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock for Old Point to escort the delegates to this city, arriving here on a special train over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway at 5:30 in the afternoon.

### FALL KILLS PRINTER

Ashton Doughty Dies From Fractured Skull and Internal Injuries.

Ashton Doughty, twenty-four years old, son of E. D. Doughty, of 109 Travis Avenue, employed as a pressman by the Richmond Press, Inc., Governor and Ross Streets, was fatally hurt early Saturday morning, when he fell from the top of a big press on which he had been working. He was carried to the Memorial Hospital, and died there yesterday morning. Though his skull was fractured by the fall, he sustained internal injuries which are believed to have been the cause of his death.

### Brother Charles III.

Brother Charles, principal of the Church school, is desperately ill at the Memorial Hospital. It was thought last night that his condition was somewhat improved, but it was said that though showing signs of improvement, his condition was nevertheless alarming to his friends.

## GRACE RESIGNS AS BROADUS PASTOR

Well Known Minister Will Take Charge of Church in Chattanooga.

To the surprise of members of his congregation, Rev. Edward L. Grace, who has tendered his resignation as pastor of Broadus Memorial Baptist Church at a congregational meeting held just after the morning service yesterday, Mr. Grace has accepted a call to the Central Baptist Church, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

An announcement was entirely unexpected, and the congregation, with many expressions of regret at the action of the pastor, adjourned to meet again Wednesday night, when action will be taken for appointment of a committee on pulpit supply and on selection of a new pastor. The resignation of Mr. Grace was accepted, to take effect from the next meeting.

The Broadus Memorial Church is located at Thirty-second and Broad Streets and has a large and growing work. Mr. Grace assumed the pastorate in 1909, coming to Richmond from Martinsville, Va. In his ministry of five and one-half years 250 people have been received into the church, about 150 of them by baptism.

Mr. Grace is a member of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and of the State Mission Board, both of which positions he will relinquish on leaving Virginia.

The church to which he has been called presents an attractive field, being located in the center of the best residence district of Chattanooga, with a handsome new church building, with a large and aggressive membership, in which there are many young men of prominence in the business life of the city. Since coming to Richmond Mr. Grace has taken an active part in the Baptist Ministers' Conference and in a number of city-wide religious movements.

## MURDER TRIAL TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Dallas Wright Already Convicted, Held Now as Witness Against Jones.

### CASE TRANSFERRED HERE

Crime in Buckingham Most Brutal Ever Known in That County.

Another trial for murder, which was one of the most atrocious ever committed in Virginia, will be called in Richmond next Monday, when Robert Jones, a negro, will begin a third fight for his life in the Hustings Court, the case having been removed to that jurisdiction by the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals. With W. Dallas Wright, a white man, convicted for the crime, and Richard Perkins, another negro, also awaiting a new trial, Jones aided in the murder of Thomas and William Stewart on April 7, 1910, at their home in Buckingham county, and afterwards burned their dwelling to hide their crime. The two victims were cremated. The motive was robbery.

Jones was first tried in July, 1910, in the Circuit Court of Buckingham. Judge Gordon presiding. He set aside a verdict of guilty, and granted the negro a new trial. In the meantime the judicial circuit had been changed, and at the second trial Judge Hundley presided, when Jones was again found guilty.

Dallas Wright's Appeal Too Late. Wright, who is now confined in the Henrico county jail, having been brought to Richmond about a year ago, has had two trials. The jury failed to agree in the first instance, and the last time he was found guilty. An appeal was made to the Supreme Court for a new trial, but it was denied on the technical ground that the bill of exceptions was not filed within thirty days after the adjournment of the trial court.

Counsel for Jones and Perkins took their cases to the higher court and succeeded in being granted new trials. This appellate body designated the Hustings Court of Richmond to try these two cases for the third time, giving the opinion that in the interests of justice a change of venue should be had. Commonwealth's Attorney E. W. Hubard, of Buckingham, will assist Commonwealth's Attorney Minnie Folkes, of Richmond, in prosecuting the case.

Dallas Wright will be a witness in the trials. On account of this fact the date of his execution has never been fixed. Two negro boys, Willie Jackson and Aylett Johnson, Commonwealth's witnesses, will also testify. They have been held in jail since the inception of these cases in court.

### May Take Jury to Scene.

Judge Witt and Prosecutor Folkes have been to view the scene of the crime, and it is likely that it will be necessary to take the Richmond jury for a glimpse of the site on which the old slave home once stood.

When the negroes were allowed new trials it was deplored by the Supreme Court that similar action could not be taken in the case of the white man.

### THREW LOOT AWAY

Boys Discover Quantity of Stolen Jewelry in Alley and Deliver It to Police.

While walking westward on Broad Street yesterday afternoon, Robert and Raymond Schuman, of 510 West Marshall Street, found a quantity of small jewelry in an alley at Second and Broad Streets. The jewelry, some of which was broken and smashed, was scattered about over a space of several yards, as if the thief had been disgusted with his loot and thrown it away.

Investigation showed that windows had been smashed in the rear of Schwarzschild Brothers, Incorporated, and of R. A. Burton & Co., both jewelry shops. The boys gathered up the loot and took it to the Second Police Station, where they reported the robbery.

## CABELL IS SLATED TO HEAD G. O. P.

Reported That Alvah H. Martin Is to Be Ousted as National Committeeman.

From sources which ought to be, and apparently are, entirely reliable, it is learned that Alvah H. Martin is to be ousted from his position of Republican boss of Virginia, to be succeeded by Internal Revenue Commissioner Royal E. Cabell. The extent to which this change will affect Republican politics in Virginia can be appreciated best by those who hold the Federal offices.

The report has it that when the Republican State convention meets next year to elect delegates to the national convention, Mr. Cabell will be elected the member from Virginia of the Republican national committee. This position, held for so long by Mr. Martin, who holds and apparently is going to continue to hold, what is regarded as the most lucrative State office in Virginia—the clerkship of the Circuit Court of Norfolk county—has made him a power in the distribution of patronage and has given him a hold on the administration in Washington.

Mr. Cabell, so it is stated, has made remarkable progress in the good graces of the party men. The talk of his selection as national committeeman leaked out during the meeting of the Virginia postmasters in this city during the past week, which Mr. Cabell attended and Mr. Martin did not.

Of course, the power of the committeeman is always tempered by the presence in Congress of Representative C. B. Slemp, of the Ninth District. But it is said that a division of power with Mr. Cabell will be equally as acceptable to Mr. Slemp as it is now to Mr. Martin.

## TOURING CLUBS FROM ALL POINTS

One Party Will Motor Here From Quebec to Attend American Road Congress.

### MANY HIGHWAY EXPERTS

Leonard Tufts to Lead Southern Party Over Capital to Capital Route.

Under the direction of the Touring Club of America, a number of good road associations are arranging automobile trips from the leading cities of this country to Richmond, to meet here at the time of the American Road Congress, November 20-24, under the auspices of the American Association for Highway Improvement. Each car will carry the touring club pennant of its own road organization, and the banner, "On to Richmond." Arrangements are being made for a tour starting from Quebec, under direction of Howard D. Hadley, chairman of the New York committee of the Quebec-Miami road. Mr. Hadley has assurances from many good roads enthusiasts in Montreal, Quebec, Plattsburg, Saratoga and Glen Falls that they will take part in such a tour. This party will be joined at Albany by the highway officials of New York State, and of several of the New England States. State Engineer John A. Bessel, of New York, has accepted an invitation to accompany the tour, and to attend the Road Congress here.

Leonard Tufts, president of the Capital Highway Association, was in New York last week in conference with officers of the Touring Club of America completing arrangements for starting a tour from Atlanta on the morning of November 13. A number of good roads enthusiasts have accepted invitations to participate. Motorists from Savannah will join the party at Augusta. The schedule calls for a visit to Augusta and Aiken on November 14; Columbia and Camden on the 15th; Jackson Springs, Pinehurst and Southern on the 16th; Raleigh and Durham on the 17th, and Littleton on the 18th, arriving at Richmond that night.

It is planned to run a scout car under the direction of the Touring Club of America from Atlanta to Richmond in the near future to secure the latest available road data. This car will arrange for sign-posting the route, and for accommodations for those taking part in the tour in November. The scout party will include a representative of the United States Office of Public Roads, President Tufts, of the Capital Highway Association; Frederick Elliott, secretary of the Touring Club of America, and Colonel Henry McNair, editor of the Automobile Blue Book.

F. M. Runnels, secretary of the Bristol to Washington Highway Association, known as the "New York to New Orleans route," has also been in conference with officers of the Touring Club, arranging for a tour to Richmond from Birmingham and Memphis route. Secretary Charles C. Gilbert, of the Tennessee Association for Highways Improvement, says that that association will be represented on the tour, and that several cities will enter cars carrying State and county highway officials.

### EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Rev. H. C. Garrison, Opens Series at Third Christian Church.

Rev. H. C. Garrison, of Danville, Ky., last night began a series of evangelistic services at the Third Christian Church, in which he was assisted by Rev. Gerald Cuberson, the pastor. Mr. Garrison entered the ministry at the Third Church, and is well known in Richmond. The initial meeting was attended by a large congregation. The services will continue nightly for two weeks.

Mr. Garrison was able to leave Kentucky for a short while, for the church of which he is a pastor is being replaced by a new building. A feature of the meetings is the singing by a large chorus choir, led by Carter Davis.

### SHELTERING ARMS NURSES GRADUATE TO-MORROW NIGHT

Commencement exercises of the Sheltering Arms Free Hospital Training for Nurses will take place to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, at the Elks Home, Elythorn and Marshall Streets. The graduates this year are Miss Emma Ella Jones and Miss Ida Louise Mason.

### W. A. Crump Visiting Here.

W. A. Crump, a well known citizen of Newport News, is visiting friends in the city. He was here during fair week, and declared it to be the best fair he had ever attended. He will return home to-day.

## A Man Who Buys Space

In various newspapers all over the United States was in Richmond last week. He is interested in advertising from the professional side, and he said that he was especially interested in our advertising from the human interest point of view.

He read our story in the paper and then he looked in the street car and saw the card that the story mentioned. This is what we want YOU to do, only we want YOU to go one step farther and profit by the fact that we have called your attention to the

SECURITY AND SERVICE of the

**American National Bank** of Richmond, Virginia.

Go in business with us at 3 per cent. guaranteed profit.

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS, ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

## ONE MORE SUICIDE BY CARBOLIC ACID

Miss Ethel Drake Kills Herself Because of Despondency and Ill Health.

### LEFT NOTE TO HER SISTER

Coroner's Figures Show Twenty-four Cases of Suicide Since First of January.

Rendered despondent by continued ill health, Miss Ethel Drake, of 312 North Sycamore Street, committed suicide early yesterday morning by swallowing the contents of an ounce bottle of carbolic acid.

Miss Drake had given no intimation of ending her life. She was discovered in her bed shortly after 7 o'clock by her brother-in-law, Charles Mallory, who is employed as a conductor on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railway. He was coming out of the bathroom when he saw a note addressed to his wife lying on the hall floor. It stated simply that Miss Drake had "felt so strangely recently that I am unable to stand it." He rushed to her room and found her lying unconscious. Dr. M. E. Nuckolls and other physicians, and Dr. Hulcher, of the city ambulance corps, were summoned. She died, however, before the arrival of the ambulance surgeon.

Miss Drake lived with her sister, Mrs. Mallory. She would have entered upon her twenty-second year next month. None of the family could give any other reason than continued ill health, which would have led the young woman to suicide. It is supposed that she drank the fatal poison about fifteen minutes before she was found in a stupor.

Coroner Taylor viewed the body, and was assured that it was a plain case of suicide. He will not hold an inquest.

Coroner Taylor's records show this to be the twenty-fourth case of suicide since the beginning of the year, averaging more than two a month. There were eleven suicides up to June 1, and there have been thirteen since. This was the eighth case of self-destruction by carbolic acid. Coroner Taylor remarked that the majority of the recent suicides have been by carbolic acid, and believes that this method of taking one's life is the result of suggestion.

The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Interment will be in Riverview Cemetery.

### GENT FROM NEW YORK

Mr. Henderson, Quite Hungry, Accepts Hospitality of the City.

John Henderson, sixteen years old, born white, but now slightly discolored by dust and weather, was escorted into the Second Police Station last night on a charge of vagrancy. John was glad to meet the policemen, for he had had nothing to eat since Saturday morning, and when a large supper was laid before him he did not wait for knife and fork. He had the dishes clean and polished in five minutes, and then, with a satisfied stare around the station, laid down on a blanket which the kind officers provided for him.

Before saying good-night John said that he was a visitor from New York. He said that he had been brought down by his brother and another young man, and had been deserted. He arrived on Wednesday, and attended the fair. He did not state his mode of living and it was suggested that his brother and the latter's friend might have been forced to leave earlier than they had expected. There were several visitors at the fair who did not remain for the finish.

**Council Schedule.** Eight Council committees meet this afternoon and to-night in an effort to catch up for the holiday of last week. The schedule opens with a meeting of the grounds and Buildings Committee at Twenty-first and Broad Streets, at 5 o'clock, to discuss a plan for a driving entrance to Taylor's Hill Park. The seven night meetings, all at 8 o'clock are: Streets, Markets, Water, Poor, Street Cleaning, Light and Cemeteries.

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**MASONS ARE GATHERING**

Washington, D. C., October 15.—Scottish Rite Masons are arriving tonight in large numbers for the biennial session of the Supreme Council, of the order for the Southern jurisdiction of the United States, which will open to-morrow and will continue throughout the week. At the opening session, Masons of the fourteenth degree and above will be admitted, but the sessions thereafter will be open only to those who have received the thirty-third degree or are candidates for it. The most important event of the session will be the laying on Wednesday of the cornerstone of the new \$1,000,000 Scottish Rite Cathedral to be erected in this city.

## Fall Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats

All are ready in the very newest fabrics and in the very latest models. The world's best is here for your inspection.

### Gans-Rady Company

LACK OF POSTAGE DELAYS MUCH MAIL

One Cent Stamps Instead of Twos Again Cause Post-Office Trouble.

Despite efforts on the part of officials of the post-office to keep the public informed concerning postal regulations, there are many persons who pay no heed and consequently throw difficulties in the way of clerks and cause themselves trouble which would be easily eliminated by a few words of inquiry.

There is an impression, especially true of Richmond, according to statements made yesterday by Postmaster Edgar Allan, Jr., that inclosed written invitations to parties, social entertainments, weddings and church and lodge meetings, for local delivery, are deliverable for one-penny postage. This is an error, as in all free delivery offices such mail requires letter postage, 2 cents.

**Cloth "Postcards."** Recently the post-office has been flooded with small cloth pennants, deposited in the mails as matter similar to postcards and bearing 1-cent stamps. All cards, other than the regulation size, and those made of stiff cardboard, leather, tin, aluminum or wood, containing written matter other than the address of the sender or that of the addressee, require 2 cents.

Many tinseled, mica and celluloid decorated cards are daily placed in the mails. Unless inclosed in an envelope they will not be delivered. If such cards bear written messages other than the names of the sender and addressee, they will require 2 cents. In cases the postage must be attached to the envelope, and not on the card, even though there is an aperture in the envelope exposing the stamp, such postage not being acceptable.

In fact, all inclosed written matter is partly written, other than the name of the addressee or of the sender, requires 2 cents postage. In most cases, it is believed, inclosed postage is the result of ignorance on the part of the sender, thought in some instances it is thought that people are trying to "put one over" on Uncle Sam and thereby save a few pennies.

To insure prompt delivery postage should be fully prepaid on all mail matter.

**NOT DESCENDED FROM MONKEYS**

Dr. Morris Scouts Science Which Would Trace Human Ancestry in Sermon to Students.

Addressing an audience composed largely of medical students and trained nurses, in a service especially planned for them at Monumental Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon, Rev. James W. Morris, D. D., scouted the science which would trace the descent of men from monkeys. The service was under the auspices of the Daughters of the King and the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

Dr. Morris asserted that man was made in God's image, and came from God-made first. "Away with the science which would depict us as emerging from a state of being like that of the beasts of the field, hanging in the branches of trees."

He said that disease was not an original condition, but had been brought about through sin, through defiance of the laws of health and the laws of God. His plea was for a clean life, and said those surroundings are the most healthy which are guarded by the most innocent living.

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## MAY ROUTE CARS VIA BOULEVARD

Announcement that the old wooden bridge leading from the street car tracks over the railroad into the Fair Grounds had been condemned, and would have to be replaced, and that in lieu of this step efforts would be made to rebuild the Boulevard bridge, and so take cars directly into the Fair Grounds, has given great impetus to the Park to Park Boulevard scheme, which has projected some time ago, but which has recently been allowed to lie dormant, although a committee from the City Council has been authorized to confer with the Henrico Board of Supervisors in regard to the plan.

The city owes William Byrd Park, surrounding the New River, the largest and most handsomely equipped park in the city. Northwardly from that it owns and has improved the Boulevard, a double driveway nearly a mile long and more than 100 feet wide, passing the Soldiers' home, connecting Cary Street and Grose Road, Monument Avenue, and other favorite driving roads of the West End. The city also owns the State Fair Grounds, and has also come into possession of Bryan Park, a handsome country property, yet but little developed. The plan proposes the continuation of the Boulevard as a double driveway 100 feet wide from Broad Street, northwardly by the Fair Grounds to the Hill Monument, and thence along the esplanade to Bryan Park. The right of way has already been secured. Practically the only cost in the road building from Broad Street Road to the Hill Monument, in which it is proposed that the city and county share jointly.

An important link in this chain is the erection of a new and adequate bridge over the railway tracks, the cost of which would no doubt be partly borne by the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac and Seaboard Air Line Railroads, and by the Virginia Railway and Power Company. It is intimated that with such a bridge the street car company would not only run its tracks into the Fair Grounds, but would apply to the county for a permanent franchise for the operation of this line on to the Hill Monument and Bryan Park, connecting with the present Lakeside line and opening to building a large level section lying between Ginter Park and Acca Station, now without street car facilities, and making the Fair Grounds accessible at all times.

**SEE BALL GAME ON BOARD TO-DAY**

Times-Dispatch Electric Device Gives Every Play—Just Like Being There.

"Almost as good as being at the Polo Grounds, and you don't have to pay \$10 for a seat on the bleachers," was the way an ex-New Yorker put it Saturday afternoon, while watching the instantaneous representation of the big game on the electric scoreboard, specially constructed for The Times-Dispatch. From the cheers that arose whenever the flashing electric registers hit or a brilliant play, it was evident that the game was clearly intelligible.

To-day's game in Philadelphia will be given in the same manner as the one of Saturday. The electric scoreboard is the latest device for the representation of distant ball games, and is marvelous in its simplicity and interest. It is in use in all the big league cities, and in several of these large theatres are maintained, which charge a regular price of admission for the privilege of witnessing the graphic reproduction of the games being played at a distant point.

The large board is mounted in front of the Times-Dispatch building, on Main Street, and the baseball service will be maintained absolutely free of charge throughout the championship series. Every single movement of the game is graphically represented on a black background by means of an ingenious arrangement of white and colored lights. Opposite the name of each player in the line-up is a white globe, which lights up as soon as the man goes to bat. Two rows of green and red lights register every ball and strike called on him. If he reaches first on a single, the lamp at first base lights, and in similar manner the lamps at the other bases on the home plate makes the round to the home plate. A glance at the scoreboard at any moment of the game tells just what players are on bases, who is at the bat, how many strikes and balls have been called on him, and the runs each team has to its credit.

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